

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Group Art Unit 3724

In re

Patent Application of

Jon Godston, et al.

Application No. 10/668,393

Confirmation No.: 2524

Filed: September 23, 2003

Examiner: Alie, Ghassem

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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	TOTAL CLAIMS	8	MINUS	43	0	X \$50	0.00
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This communication responds to the Office action dated December 27, 2004. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.